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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)	Docket Number (Optional) 4605.003

In re Application of	Paul DeAngelis	
Application Number 09/842,484		Filed 4/25/01
For CHONDROITIN SYNTHASE GENE AND METHODS OF MAKING...		
Group Art Unit 1632		Examiner G. Bugaisky

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

- [ ] One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) $_____
- [ ] Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) $_____
- [ ] Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) $_
- [X] Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) $ 1440
- [ ] Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) $_____

- [X] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: $ 720.00_____ .
- [ ] A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- [ ] Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- [ ] The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1700_____ .
  I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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I am the [ ] applicant/inventor

- [ ] assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
  Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- [X] attorney or agent of record.
- [ ] attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
  Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)_____ .

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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Date

Signature

Douglas J. Sorocco, Reg. No. 43,145

Typed or printed name

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

- [ ] Total of _____ forms are submitted.